## REMARKS

This amendment is requested to be entered simultaneously with filing this application.

Claims 1-7 have been cancelled without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter therein and claims 8-14 are presented therefor which have the same subject matter of claims 1-7, respectively, and present the claims in accordance with USA practice under 35 USC 112 and eliminate multiple-dependent form claims.

No multiple-dependent claims exist in this application as of the filing date and no multiple-dependent claim fees apply.

The specification has also been amended for formal improvement to comply with USA practice.

An Abstract is presented on a separate page herewith.

Please enter this Preliminary Amendment prior to calculating the claim fees and prior to an action on the merits, which is respectfully requested.

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